



## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:       |  | )                          | Examiner: Ms. Cynthia Hamilton |
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| MASAHIKO KUBOTA ET AL.      |  | :<br>)                     |                                |
| Application No.: 10/615,289 |  | : Group Art Unit: 1752     |                                |
| Filed: July 9, 2003         |  | ;<br>)                     |                                |
| For:                        | METHOD FOR PRODUCING<br>FINE STRUCTURED MEMBER,<br>METHOD FOR PRODUCING<br>FINE HOLLOW STRUCTURED<br>MEMBER AND METHOD FOR<br>PRODUCING LIQUID<br>DISCHARGE HEAD | ;<br>)<br>;<br>)<br>;<br>) | January 3, 2005                |
| Commis                      | scioner for Patents  |                            |                                |

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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